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Working at the airfield. Interrogator evaluation is C.

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1. July 1948

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About fifty multi-engine commercial aircraft of various international makes were parked in the open at the WARSAW-OKECIE (R 53/P 98) airfield. Besides these commercial aircraft crews only Polish soldiers were observed at the airfield. The impression was obtained that the field was also used as a military air field. (Location see annex).

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2. September 1948

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Eighteen IL-2s, which were serviced by about 40 Polish soldiers, were parked at the southeastern corner of the WARSAW-OKECIE airfield in September 1948. Two five-story concrete buildings were located at the northern field border. The Polish Air Lines was housed in one of these buildings, an airfield hotel and a Soviet air transport office in the other. An underground fuel dump was located on the eastern field border and five, apparently new hangars southwest of the field.

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3. February 1949

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The northern section of the WARSAW-OKECIE airfield served as commercial airfield, the southern section as a military airfield.

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The latter section, where all buildings were destroyed, was occupied on the average by ten small monoplanes and bi-planes with which flight training was conducted. The flight control station and a hangar under construction were located in the civilian section. The flying personnel was quartered in private houses and the airfield guard personnel in a small barracks in OKECIE.

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Comment: The information that the WARSAW-OKECIE airfield is used by commercial aircraft agrees with previous observations. This is the first information that the field is used as a military airfield. According to para 2 of this report, a ground attack unit is stationed at the field, an assumption which is considered incredible. It is believed that a Polish training unit is located there. The accuracy of the information on the present condition of the field cannot be rated for lack of comparable data.

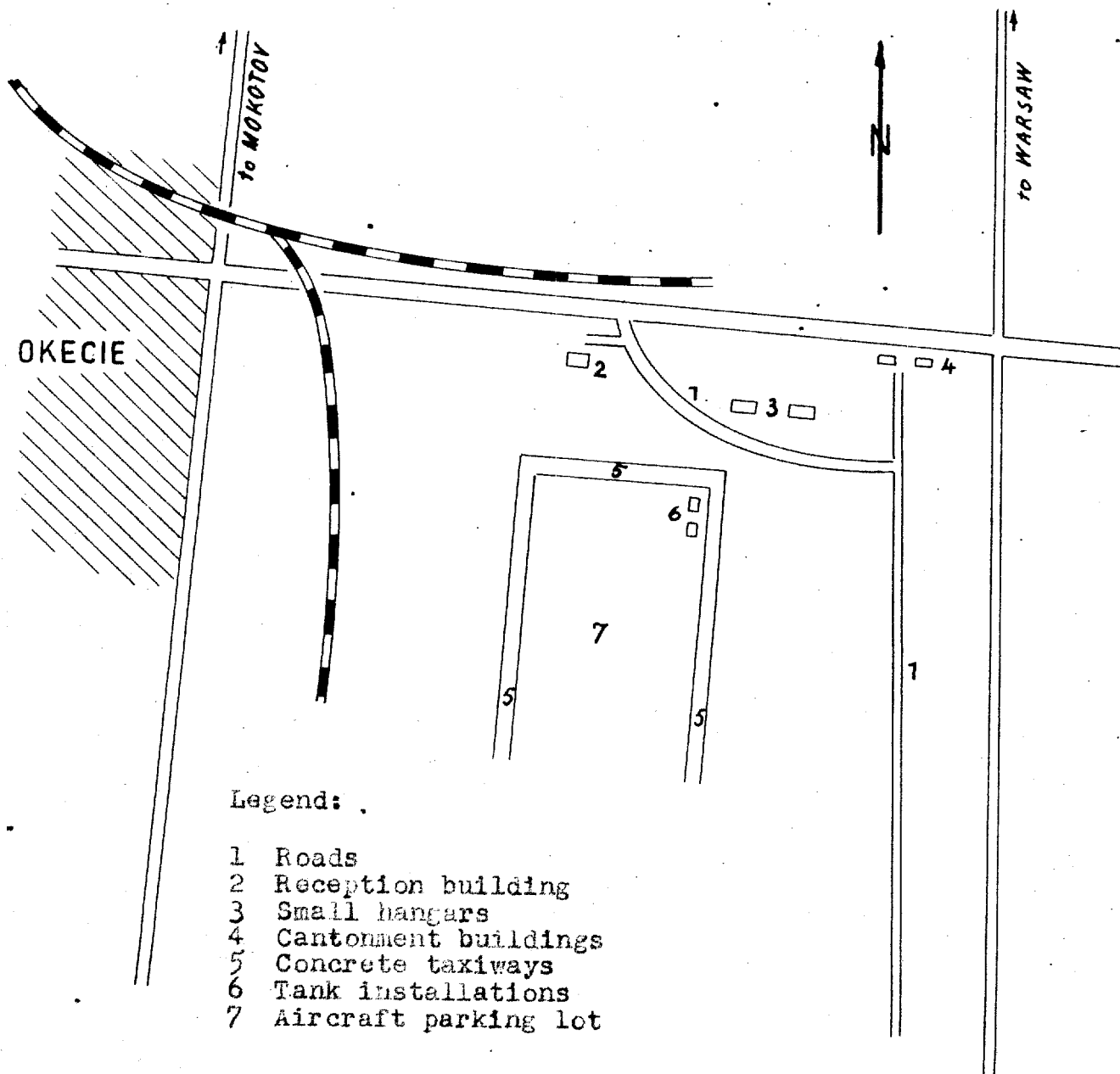
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Airfield of WARSAW-OKECIE



Legend: .

- 1 Roads
- 2 Reception building
- 3 Small hangars
- 4 Cantonment buildings
- 5 Concrete taxiways
- 6 Tank installations
- 7 Aircraft parking lot

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